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Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the final office action dated December 26, 2006, setting a three month shortened statutory period for response that expires on March 26, 2007. Further examination and reconsideration of the present application in view of the remarks set forth herein are respectfully requested.

Listing / Amendments to the claims including status indicators begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8.